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## INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's  
Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, on 15 June 1954

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
\*Presiding

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
Lt. Gen. Charles P. Cabell  
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### MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant for Intelligence  
Department of State  
Major General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant Chief of  
Staff, G-2, Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence  
Department of the Navy  
Brigadier General Millard Lewis, acting for Director of Intelligence,  
Headquarters, United States Air Force  
Rear Admiral Edwin T. Layton, acting for Deputy Director  
for Intelligence, The Joint Staff  
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, Atomic Energy Commission  
Representative to the IAC  
Mr. Meffert W. Kuhrtz, acting for Assistant to the Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

### ALSO PRESENT

Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency  
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Mr. Jack W. Lydman, Department of State  
Mr. John C. Guthrie, Department of State  
Mr. Harold W. Jacobson, Department of State  
Lt. Colonel Vasco J. Fenili, Department of the Army  
Lt. Colonel H. N. Maples, Department of the Army  
Lt. Colonel John Arthur, Department of the Army  
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy  
Captain B. E. Wiggin, Department of the Navy  
Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force  
Colonel C. M. Walton, United States Air Force  
Lt. Colonel Julius Z. Mims, United States Air Force  
Mr. Donald F. Benjamin, United States Air Force  
Mr. John A. Power, United States Air Force  
Captain Ray E. Malpass, USN, The Joint Staff  
Colonel L. A. Hall, The Joint Staff  
Lt. Colonel P. H. Penn, USAF, The Joint Staff  
Commander Richard M. Niles, The Joint Staff

Secretary

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Approval of Minutes  
(IAC-M-155, 1 June 1954)

1. Action: Approved as revised by page 3 circulated 9 June.

2. Discussion: In connection with the minute (para. 6) on the Watch Committee Report, Mr. Dulles noted that the NSC members had now received copies of the Report but had not yet discussed it in the Council. A paper on which to base such discussion is being prepared and will be circulated to the IAC before NSC consideration.

3. General Willems noted that because the ad hoc committee had not considered budget problems in connection with setting up the Indications Center, there might be delay in implementing the Center. Mr. Dulles asked that an estimate of non-departmental costs be promptly made and undertook to consider whether CIA might meet such costs as being in the nature of funds for a "service of common concern."

Probable Military and Political  
Developments in Indochina  
Over the Next 30 Days (15 June-15 July)  
(NIE 63-4-54)

4. Action: Approved as amended; approved release

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Communist Reactions to  
Certain U.S. Courses of  
Action with Respect to  
Indochina  
(SNIE 10-4-54)

5. Action: Approved as amended, subject to AEC comment.

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NSC Request for Report  
and Estimate as to  
Probable Effects of Restricting  
Bloc Representatives  
(IAC-D-83, 9 June 1954)

6. Action: Agreed that:

a. The State, Army, Navy, and Air Force members will each make available to ONE in preliminary draft by 22 June a brief factual report of approximately four pages on overt collection activities within the Bloc, including the number of personnel, type of material collected, and a general appraisal of the value thereof.

b. ONE will prepare terms of reference for an estimate covering the likelihood of Soviet retaliation, its probable nature and the effect on the over-all US foreign intelligence effort. This estimate would use Appendix D of the basic document as a guide, would also benefit from the reports described in (a) above, and would be submitted for IAC consideration on 29 June, following customary NIE procedure.

New Designation of DNI

7. Mr. Dulles noted and congratulated Admiral Espe on the recent designation of the Director of Naval Intelligence as "Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Intelligence)." Admiral Espe pointed out that he is to continue to be referred to in correspondence and other matters of inter-agency business as Director of Naval Intelligence.

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Secretary's Notes:

1. All agencies having concurred in the proposed release to [redacted] of SNIE 63-2-54, "Military Security and Political Stability in Laos and Cambodia through 1954" (ONE memo to IAC dated 28 May), this estimate was released on 14 June.

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3. The Board of National Estimates has recommended the non-release to any foreign government of SNIE 10-4-54 (memo from ONE to IAC dated 14 June 1954).

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